

BANKERS

From the following list our readers can ascertain the names and addresses of bankers who will undertake to transact a general agency and collection business in their respective localities:

MEAFORD-Grey County. C. H. JAY & CO'Y, Bankers, Financiers and Canadian Express Co. Agents. Money to oan.

GEORGE F. JEWELL, F.C.A., Public Accountant and Auditor. Office, 361 Dundas Street, London, Ont.

COUNTIES Grey and Bruce collections made on commission, lands valued and sold, notices served A general financial business transacted. Leading loan companies, lawyers and wholesale merchants given as ceferences H. H. MILLER, Hanover

JOHN RUTHERFORD,

OWEN SOUND, ONT. Licensed Auctioneer for County of Grey. Lands valued and sold; Notices served; Fire, Life and Plate Glass Insurance; several factory and mill sites in good locations to dispose of. Loans effected Best of references.



stalled on the Brockville section of its road a new kind of long-distance telephone service, known as the telegraph telephone. It is connected with and is operated on the telegraph wires, and business can be done with Montreal, Coteau, Cornwall, etc. Telegraph and phone messages can be conveyed at one time without conflicting. If the present test proves statisfactory, the system may be brought into general use on the G.T.R.

Mercantile Summary.

THE British Columbia Permanent Loan and Savings Company has declared a dividend for the half-year ended with June 30th last, at the rate of 8 per cent. per annum.

On the 14th inst., a party of journalists, mainly representing provincial papers, was to sail for Canada to spend some weeks in touring the Dominion, as guests of the Government. They are expected to give an unbiased record of their experiences and their impressions of the country.

MR. HICKMAN, the popular lecturer of the Canadian Emigration Department in London, has come back to Canada to collect and arrange a long series of views of Canada, which he purposes displaying with the cinematograph, when his autumn lectures begin again. He will take these cinematograph views all over Great Britain.

MAJOR BELL is erecting at Indian Head, Assa., a steel elevator on concrete foundations, with a capacity of 20,000 bushels. His idea is to erect several of these through the wheat district and rent them to individual farmers, who will be able to fill and empty them themselves as often as they please without charge beyond the annual rental.

IN August, 1901, at Copper Cliff, F. D. McNaughton opened a general store, his previous experience in this line having been gained at Warren. There he was not successful. In March, 1902, he put a chattel mortgage on his assets for \$5,000 to his principal creditor. This was renewed last March and in May he put another chattel mortgage on his stock. On the 10th of this month the stock was seized under these chattel mortgages, and he now makes an assignment.

INSURANCE ITEMS.

The secretary has notified members that the National Association of Local Fire Insurance Agents has postponed the time of its annual national convention at Hartford, Conn., to October 20th, 21st, and 22nd, of the present year, thereby avoiding conflict in dates with the annual convention of the National Association of Life Underwriters.

A French insurance journal, "Le Conseiller des Assurances," has a grievance against American life companies in that they are too ready to publish letters of acknowledgment from the relatives of That journal deceased policy-holders. asks: "Is it moral, is it decorous, that a life insurance company should thus beat the big drum over the dead bodies of its policy-holders? Has any French company ever been guilty of such a lugubrious performance? Do not all preserve, in honor of the weeping wife, the pious secret of the last solicitude of the dear departed one?" And the article goes on to declare that "the Mutual Life, its passion for advertising, treads



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WANTED.

Inspector for First-class Fire Insurance Company in Manitoba and the North West Territories, with head quarters at Winnipeg. Applications will be considered confidential, Please state experience and salary required. Apply Box 63, Monetary Times, Toronto.

The British Columbia Permanent Loan & Savings Company.

Dividend No. 10.

Notice is hereby given that a dividend at the rate of EIGHT PER CENT. PER ANNUM has this day been declared on the Permanent Stock of the Company for the half-year ending June 30th, 1903, and that the same will be payable at the Head Office of the Company, No. 321 Cambie Street, Vancouver, B.C., on and after July 15th, 1903.

By order of the Board.

THOS. T. LANGLOIS, President. Vancouver, July 10th, 1903.

